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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

Entitled: Discharge Lamp Lighting Device And Lighting Apparatus

1. Submitted herewith are the following:
96 pages of specification, including claims and Abstract.
45 sheets of FORMAL drawings (Figs. 1-45, 46A, 46B, 46C, 47).
27 claims.
1 Application Data Sheet.
1 certified copy of Korean application no. 2003-116942. Priority is claimed.
1 check in the amount of \$1,204 (\$770- Filing Fee; \$144- Extra Dependent Claim Fee; \$290- Multiple Dependent Claim Fee).

2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.

3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.

4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application claims the benefit of provisional application number _____ filed _____. --

5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number _____ filed _____. --

6. Other: _____

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